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PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

*Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for the week ended
June 25, 1904.*

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue,
under date of June 27:

Week ended June 25.

Buildings reinspected.....	177
Rooms	1,603
Persons inspected	2,225
Sick	12
Sick prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary	11
Dead examined	5
Necropsies	3
Rats examined bacteriologically	78
Number showing pest infection.....	0
Places limed and disinfected	851
Times streets swept.....	3
Sewers flushed	18
Notices sent to abate plumbing nuisances	12
Abated	2
Undergoing abatement.....	10
Total number plumbing inspections.....	92
Blocks covered with Danyz virus.....	11
With phosphorus.....	4

Transactions on account of yellow fever at Laredo, Tex.

Sickness in Alice not yellow fever.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Purnell reports as follows:

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., *June 16, 1904.*

In accordance with instructions, I visited Alice, Tex., and investigated the sickness which was prevailing there. I left Beaumont on the evening of the 11th instant, and reached my destination on the next evening at 9 o'clock. Doctor Tabor reached there on the same train. We were met at the depot by Doctors Macgregor, McKnight, Cock, and the local physicians. Doctor Frick did not reach there until the evening of the following day. On the morning of the 13th Doctors McKnight, Tabor, and I, in company with the attending physicians, visited 12 persons who were sick. Doctor Macgregor was